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REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

September 7, 2000	10 am	San Francisco
September 21, 2000	10 am	San Francisco
October 5, 2000	10 am	San Francisco

COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS

(Not Open to the Public)

Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

September 5, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco
September 18, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco
October 2, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco

NOTICES

Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

Unless otherwise directed, all courier-delivered documents submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be hand-carried directly to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West 4th Street in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All documents sent through the mail for formal filing should be addressed ONLY to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

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SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

Subscription Notice for Draft Agenda Items

In compliance with Public Utilities Code Section 311.5, parties who wish to subscribe to receive draft agenda items may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or by calling (415) 703-1798. The cost for a one-year subscription to the entire public agenda package (which excludes Executive Session materials) is \$1,000. You may also order a partial agenda package (energy

agenda items only or telecommunication agenda items only) at the cost of \$500 per year. The package you receive via mail will include only those agenda items available at the time of the agenda distribution date, which is usually 10 to 12 days prior to the Commission meeting. If agenda items (including revisions) are not ready on the distribution date, they will be made available at no charge in the lobby outside the Commission Auditorium at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

In addition, the Commission will make draft agenda items available for viewing and photocopying (at 20 cents per page) at the Commission's Central Files Office (Room 2002), 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, and in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and Sacramento field offices. Since the agenda package will be mailed to these locations, it will be available at these locations a day or two after the distribution date. These locations will not receive agenda items that are not ready on the distribution date.

If an agenda item is held over to a subsequent Commission meeting, that agenda item and any revisions to that agenda item that were available on the morning of the initial Commission meeting (as well as any further available revisions) will be mailed in the Escutia package for the subsequent Commission meeting; the item and its revisions will also be available for viewing and photocopying in the Commission's Central Files Office and field offices as set forth above.

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Parties who wish to subscribe to the Daily Calendar and/or the Agenda may do so by writing to the Public Utilities Commission; Attention: Poly Arca, Room 1003, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102, or by calling (415) 703-1798. The subscription cost for the Daily Calendar is \$225 per year. The Biweekly Daily Calendar is \$50 per year. The Agenda is \$75 per year. Checks are to be made payable to the Public Utilities Commission.

COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

NONE

PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS

Workshop Notice/Public Meeting - NEW ROOM NUMBER!

August 22, 2000
9:30 am - 3:30 pm

and

California Public Utilities Commission
*505 Van Ness Avenue, **Room 2204***
(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
San Francisco

August 23, 2000
9:30 am - 3:30 pm

The ULTS Marketing Board (ULTSMB) will hold its regular meeting to discuss the following: Review/Approve Meeting Minutes, Review/Approve Interim Marketing Program Items, Meeting with Commissioner Wood (8/23), Call Center Discussion, Review/Approve Administrative Report and Action Items, Review ULTSMB Correspondences, Discuss Board Vacancies and Recruitment, Market Research Contract Discussion, PUC Report and Action Items, G.O. 153 Update, SB 669 Update, Review and Approve ULTSMB Annual Report for 2000, Announcements, Set Future Agenda Items, and Hear Public Comments. **The Board will meet in Closed Session:** Review and Approve Marketing Program Requests for Proposals. The general meeting is open to the public. The Board reserves the right to limit the time allocated to public comments and each speaker. If you would like to receive an agenda or full meeting packet, please notify the ULTS Trust Office at (510) 452-2757 or e-mail ultstrust@msn.com.

Workshop Notice/Public Meeting

August 23, 2000
9:00 am - 5 pm

***Continuing August 24 and 25 as
needed from 9:00 am – 5 pm in the
same location***

*California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3104
(Corner of Van Ness and McAllister)
San Francisco*

Investigation 98-12-013 seeks information on the Pacific Gas and Electric Company power outage that occurred December 8, 1998. The investigation will consider whether the Commission should enter any orders to ensure that a similar outage does not occur again. Parties have agreed to a series of workshops to consider recommendations for the prevention of a future such outage. Workshops will reconvene on August 23, 2000. This workshop will address several safety and reliability items first raised in Workshop 1 (January 19 and 20, 2000), including the remedial action scheme, San Francisco operating criteria, San Francisco separation scheme, command and control during an outage, and outage recovery plans. It will also address trends in personnel practices, trends in equipment performance, and access to information following an outage. The dates and times for subsequent workshops will be discussed and confirmed at each workshop. Workshop dates will also be listed in the Commission's Daily Calendar to the extent possible. Issues might be transferred from one day or workshop to another, or workshops taken out of order. The contact person is Burton W. Mattson at (415) 703-2504 or bwm@cpuc.ca.gov.

Workshop Notice

August 23, 2000
10 am - 4 pm

Hiram Johnson State Building
455 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco

The California Public Utilities Commission's Division of Strategic Planning will conduct a workshop to help write new rules for the **Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program (DDTP)**.

Background: The California Legislature passed Senate Bill 669 in 1999 that:

- 1) Creates the DDTP Administrative Committee as an advisory board for the CPUC to help develop, implement, and administer programs providing telecommunications services and equipment to the deaf or disabled, and
- 2) Requires funds for the DDTP be held in the State Treasury (instead of a bank trust fund as is currently done).

This proceeding, known as Rulemaking 00-05-001, is intended to develop procedures to carry out the requirements of SB 669. This rulemaking is aimed at:

- 1) Ensuring that the DDTP has adequate administrative authority and resources to "carry out the programs pursuant to the commission's direction, control, and approval" (Public Utilities (P.U.) Code Section 278(a)(1)),
- 2) Reviewing the DDTPAC's structure to ensure that it achieves "appropriate representation by the consumers of telecommunications services for the deaf and disabled," as SB 669 requires (P.U. Code Section 278 (a) (2)), and,
- 3) Implementing the changes in financial administration that SB 669 requires.

Ground Rules for this Workshop:

- 1) The atmosphere at the workshop will be informal. There will be no Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) present; however, a court reporter will record the Workshop and a transcript will be available at a later time. Only if needed will the moderator impose time limits for speakers and other control measures.
- 2) The workshop will explore the issues raised in the Order Instituting Rulemaking (OIR), (see <ftp://ftp.cpuc.ca.gov/gopher-data/agenda/r0005001.pdf>), issues presented by the assigned ALJ, and other specific topics raised by participants. The workshop participants are asked to explore and evaluate all the items on the agenda, not merely iterate or defend a position.
- 3) The CPUC invites anyone interested in this subject to comment in person at this workshop. If you cannot attend, write or e-mail your views to the Commission's Public Advisor:

California Public Utilities Commission

Public Advisor's Office

505 Van Ness Avenue, 5th Floor

San Francisco, CA 94102

public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov

Please include R.00-05-001 in your mail or e-mail.

The hearing location is accessible to persons with disabilities and will have sign language

interpreters, real-time captioners, and voicers available. Please call the Commission's Public Advisor at least five working days before the workshop if you need to request other reasonable accommodation: 415-703-2074 (V), 415-703-2032 (TTY) or 800-229-6846 (TTY)

4) Mark Vandervelden of the Division of Strategic Planning will chair and moderate this workshop.

5) Mr. Vandervelden will prepare and file a Workshop Report with the Commission presenting the views of workshop participants. The Commission may use this report as a basis for the discussion of SB 669 implementation issues during four upcoming Public Participation Hearings scheduled during the month of September. See the CPUC Website (www.cpuc.ca.gov) for additional details on times and locations for those hearings. For more information contact Mark Vandervelden at (415)703-2329 or by e-mail: mav@cpuc.ca.gov.

Public Meeting Notice – Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program

Video Relay Trial Subcommittee
August 24, 2000
1 pm - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
505 14th Street, Suite 400
Oakland

The Video Relay Trial Subcommittee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following: I.) Public Input, II.) DDTP/MCI Worldcom VRS Trial, III.) Miscellaneous VRS-Related Issues, and IV.) Next Meeting.

Meeting Information: For more information, please contact Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator at (510) 302-1100 voice or (510) 302-1101 TTY.

Environmental Notice: People with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivities must reduce their exposure in order to attend this meeting. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

Public Meeting Notice – Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program

California Relay Service Advisory Committee (CRSAC)
August 25, 2000
10 am - 4 pm

Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program
505 14th Street, Suite 400
Oakland

The California Relay Service Advisory Committee of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following: I.) Agenda Modifications and Approval, II.) Public Input – Morning Session, III.) Review of Minutes of the Previous Meeting, IV.) Data Report – Sprint, V.) Data Report – MCI WorldCom, VI.) Speech-to-Speech Report, VII.) DDTP Staff Report, VIII.) Executive Director's Report, IX.) Consumer Affairs Specialist's Report, X.) Outreach Specialist Coordinator's Report, XI.) Public Input, XII.) Discussion of Relay Service Agent Training, XIII.) Recap of CRS RFP Subcommittee Meeting, XIV.) Discussion of Proposed CRS RFP, XV.) Discussion of Customer Profile Information, XVI.) Discussion of Network Announcements for TTY/ TDD, XVII.) Quality of Service of Speech-To-Speech, XVIII.) CRSAC Representative to DDTPAC, XIX.) Future

Meetings, XX.) Member Reports, and XXI.) Adjournment.

Meeting Information: For more information, please contact Laine Proctor, DDTP Committee Coordinator at (510) 302-1100 voice or (510) 302-1101 TTY.

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WORKING GROUP MEETING NOTICE (AMENDED 8/15/00)

August 28, 2000
10:00 AM – 4 PM

*The Gas Company Energy Resource Center (ERC)
9240 E. Firestone Blvd.
Downey, CA 90241*

Pursuant to the April 28, 2000 Assigned Commissioner's Ruling, the Low-Income Reporting Requirements Manual Working Group will hold a public meeting to discuss proposals and develop consensus position on modifications to CARE report. Issues include, outreach efforts, enrollments, certifications and procedures for estimating customers.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-800-473-8495 After hearing the prompt, enter the access code (6686073).

Working Group participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Michael Rosauer of the Energy Division (e-mail mailto: fly@cpuc.ca.gov, phone: (415) 703-2579.

Meeting on Telephone Number Utilization Studies (Phase II)

August 29, 2000
Meeting begins at 1:30 pm

*California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room
San Francisco*

PHASE II OF STATEWIDE UTILIZATION STUDIES

Assigned Administrative Law Judge Rulings dated January 18, 2000 and August 1, 2000 required utilization studies to be due on October 1, 2000 from all carriers in possession of whole NXX prefix codes (i.e., a full 10,000-number block) and in possession of portions of whole NXX prefix codes in the following area codes: 323, 626, 805, 949, 925, 916, 707, and 562. This meeting will be for question-and-answer session to go over the format by which carriers shall report code utilization data. Please call Risa Hernandez 415-703-5331 or Sue Wong 415-703-1543 for information on the meeting.

Workshop Notice

August 29, 2000 10 am and August 30, 2000 9 am - 12 noon	Pacific Gas and Electric Company 77 Beale Street, Auditorium San Francisco
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The CPUC and the California ISO are sponsoring a workshop on the Electric Settlements Process in California's Direct Access market. The purpose of the workshop is to provide all market participants with an overview of the Settlement Process and to share information about controls and practices used by various participants during the settlement process. Please RSVP by August 18th by calling or emailing Jeanette Plumley at the California ISO with the name of your organization and the number of people attending each day. Ms. Plumley can be reached at (916) 608-5971 or by email at jplumley@caiso.com.

Public Meeting Notice – Low Income Advisory Board

August 29, 2000 10 am - 4 -pm August 30, 2000 9 am - 4 -pm	Southern California Gas Company 12437 Lewis Street, Suite 100 City View Office Plaza Garden Grove Southern California Gas' Energy Resource Center 9240 E. Firestone Boulevard Downey
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The Low Income Advisory Board (LIAB) will meet to discuss, review or decide the following topics: Board, Committee, Utility, Legal, and CPUC Updates; Critical Path, recent Legislation, CARE Penetration Rates; Board, CARE, and LIEE expenditures; Future Meeting Schedules; Recent Commission Rulings, pending Commission Decisions or Orders, LIAB comments on any draft orders, or draft LIAB compliance filings resulting from recent orders; WIS and PP&O manual standardization project; Needs Assessment Project and RRM Working Group Project. **Teleconference Information:** The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-888-452-3494. After hearing the prompt, enter the access code (22726) followed by the pound sign (#). This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, please contact Zaida C. Amaya at (415) 703-1191 zca@cpuc.ca.gov.

Closed Session: At a convenient time during, or at the conclusion of the meeting, the LIAB may have a closed session to discuss items of litigation. The LIAB is authorized to discuss these

matters in a closed session pursuant to Government Code, Section 1126(e)(2)(b).

WORKING GROUP MEETING NOTICE

August 31, 2000
10:00 AM – 4 PM

The Gas Company Energy Resource Center (ERC)
9240 E. Firestone Blvd.
Downey, CA 90241

Pursuant to the April 28, 2000 Assigned Commissioner's Ruling, the Low-Income Reporting Requirements Manual Working Group will hold a public meeting to discuss Administration and Implementation, specifically the breakout of administrative costs by function vs. labor, non-labor, contract and how to define administrative vs. implementation costs, internal and out-source costs.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-800-473-8692. After hearing the prompt, enter the access code (6686074).

Working Group participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Michael Rosauer of the Energy Division (e-mail <mailto:fly@cpuc.ca.gov>, phone: (415) 703-2579.

NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

(Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

NONE

NEW FILINGS

8/15/00	A00-08-022	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for an order approving the lease of real property to Crockett Generation
8/16/00	A00-08-021	Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority, for an order authorizing construction of a pedestrian crossing at Moffett Park Station Nos.210.44.5 and 210.44.75 by the light rail transit line of the Tasman West Light Rail

Project in the City of Sunnyvale, County of Santa Clara

8/16/00	C00-08-023	ECP-Henry N. Addington vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company, (1) Rates sets too high in relation to all other providers of DSL services; (2)Charged higher rates on Lifeline services than allowed by law; and (3) breached twelve (12) month contract with Complainant
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PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

DRAFT DECISIONS * PROPOSED DECISIONS * ALTERNATES * PRESIDING OFFICER'S DECISION * ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

NONE

TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

8/14/00	C.00-02-010	Walker - Marking Products, Inc. vs. AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (U 5002 C).
7/3/00	C.98-03-023	Vieth - Gina Guillamum Di Resta vs. Esprit Del Sol Apartments.
7/24/00	A.00-05-053	Jones - In the matter of the petition of Sprint Communications Company, L.P. for arbitration of interconnection rates, terms, conditions, and related

arrangements with Pacific Bell.

8/1/00	I.99-07-003	Biren - Investigation on the Commission's own motion to consider the costs and benefits of various promising revisions to the regulatory and market structure governing California's natural gas industry and to report to the California Legislature on the Commission's findings.
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ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

R.00-02-005 (to coordinate evidentiary hearings)	Pulsifer- Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into reciprocal compensation for telephone traffic transmitted to Internet Services Providers modems, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to August 22
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A.99-09-029	Thomas - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Northeast San Jose Transmission Reinforcement project, Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to August 22
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C.00-01-017	Vieth - Los Robles Mobile Home Park Chapter 393 of the Golden State Mobilehome Owners League vs. Hillsboro Properties and City of Novato Redevelopment Agency, Evidentiary Hearing held and no report given
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A.00-03-064	Bennett - In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in its Arden-Cordova service area, and related matters,
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A.00-03-067
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A.00.03-069
A.00-03-070

Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to August 22

C.00-08-001	Correction to the Daily Calendar of 8/15/00 Bushey - Western Referral, Inc., a California corporation
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vs. American Telephone and Telegraph,
Evidentiary Hearing held and submitted

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

9/6/00 ALJ McKenzie Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.99-12-024	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to value its hydroelectric generation assets and for authority to retain its hydroelectric generation assets in a regulated utility corporation, Commission Auditorium, San Francisco
9/20/00 ALJ Thomas Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.00-07-001	(PHC) - Application of Sierra Pacific Power Company for approval of a proposed distribution performance-based ratemaking mechanism supported by a cost of service study, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge A. Kirk McKenzie at 9:30 a.m. in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.

8/1/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/8/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/15/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS

NONE

HEARINGS

Dates in parentheses following the word “also” are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner’s name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference

(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing

(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing

(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting

(M) = Mediation

(FOA) = Final Oral Argument

(WS) = Workshop

(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing

(AH) = Arbitration Hearing

(CA) = Closing Argument

8/22/00	9:00 a.m.	(EH) – Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission’s
ALJ Pulsifer	R.00-02-005	own motion into reciprocal compensation for telephone
Comr Neepser	(to coordinate	traffic transmitted to Internet Services Providers modems,
	evidentiary	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
	hearings)	(also August 23 - 25)

8/22/00	9:30 a.m.	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company
ALJ Thomas	A.99-09-029	for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
Comr Duque		authorizing the construction of the Northeast San Jose
		Transmission Reinforcement project,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August
		23-25; (CA) September 8)

8/22/00	9:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of the Southern
ALJ Bennett	A.00-03-064	California Water Company (U 133 W) for an order
Comr Duque		authorizing it to increase rates for water service in its
		Arden-Cordova service area, and related matters,
	A.00-03-065	
	A.00-03-066	
	A.00-03-067	
	A.00-03-068	
	A.00-03-069	
	A.00-03-070	
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August

23 – 25)

8/22/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern
ALJ Bushey	A.00-06-032	California Gas Company for authority to implement a rate
Comr Bilas		for peaking service as ordered by D99-04-060,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

8/23/00	9:00 a.m.	(HEARING) - Order instituting investigation into the
ALJ Wetzell	I.00-08-002	functioning of the wholesale electric market and associated
Comr Wood		impact on retail rates,
		San Diego Concourse (Golden Hall)
		Copper Room 228
		3rd and "B" Streets
		San Diego, CA

Note: It is possible that two or more Commissioners will be in attendance.

8/24/00	San Diego Concourse (Golden Hall)
9:00 a.m.	Copper Room 228
	3 rd and "B" Streets
	San Diego, CA

(Prehearing Conference)

8/29/00	San Diego Convention Center
10:00 a.m.	Room 13, 111 West Harbor Drive
	San Diego, CA

(Public Participation Hearing)

8/30/00	San Diego Convention Center
10:00 a.m. to	Room 14AB, 111 West Harbor Dr.
12:00 noon;	San Diego, CA
2:00 p.m. to	
4:00 p.m.;	
7:00 p.m. to	
9:00 p.m.	

8/23/00	10:00 a.m.	(WS) – Order instituting rulemaking into implementation of
ALJ Thomas	R.00-05-001	Senate Bill 669, regarding the deaf and disabled
Comr Duque		telecommunications program,
		Hiram Johnson State Building

**455 Golden Gate Avenue
San Francisco, CA**

Note: For more information regarding this workshop, check the Workshop Notices portion of the Daily Calendar.

8/23/00 ALJ Walker	1:30 p.m.	(INFORMAL HEARING) - In the matter of the informal complaint of Conlin Strawberry Water Company against the Commission's Water Division, City Hall Council Chambers 94 North Washington Street Sonoma, CA (also August 24 -25)
8/28/00 ALJ Cooke Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. R.99-10-025	(PHC) - Order instituting rulemaking into distributed generation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/28/00 ALJ Patrick Comr Neeper	10:00 a.m. A.00-03-022	(EH) - In the matter of the application of Park Water Company (U-314-W) for authority to increase in its Central Basin Division as authorized by NOI 00-01-045, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also August 29 - 30)
8/29/00 ALJ Thomas Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.99-10-036	(PHC) - Application of Southern California Gas Company for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to sell certain intellectual property known as energy marketplace, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/30/00 ALJ Walker Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.00-01-023	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C) for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to lease space in administrative buildings and central offices and to transfer assets to SBC Advanced Solutions, Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
8/30/00 ALJ Barnett Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.00-01-037	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to sell its fuel oil pipeline facilities, City of Huntington Beach Council Chambers 2000 Main Street

Huntington Beach, CA

9/5/00	9:30 a.m.	(EH) - Investigation into Commonwealth Energy
ALJ O'Donnell	I.99-06-036	Corporation's operations and practices in connection with
Comr Lynch		providing service as an electricity service provider under
		Registration No. 1092,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
		September 6)

9/5/00	6:30 p.m.	(PPH) - Order instituting rulemaking into implementation
ALJ Thomas	R.00-05-001	of Senate Bill 669, regarding the deaf and disabled
Comr Duque		telecommunications program,
		Elihu Harris State Building Auditorium
		1515 Clay Street
		Oakland, CA

Sept. 11, 2000	Ontario Convention Center
6:30 p.m.	2000 Convention Center Way
	Ontario, CA

Sept. 13, 2000	Employment Development
6:30 p.m.	Department Auditorium
	722 Capitol Mall
	Sacramento, CA

Sept. 18, 2000	Scottish Rite Center
6:30 p.m.	1895 Camino del Rio South
	San Diego, CA

9/6/00	9:00 a.m.	(EH) - Order instituting rulemaking into distributed
ALJ Cooke	R.99-10-025	generation,
Comr Bilas	(Phase 2)	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
		(also September 7-8; September 11-15. Hearing on
		Mondays starts at 10:00 a.m., rest of the week starts
		at 9:00 a.m.)

9/6/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern
ALJ McKenzie	A.99-12-024	California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to
Comr Wood		value its hydroelectric generation assets and for authority
		to retain its hydroelectric generation assets in a regulated
		utility corporation,
		Commission Auditorium, San Francisco

9/7/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for current cost recovery during the rate freeze period,
ALJ Minkin	A.00-03-038	
Comr Lynch		(PHC) - Application of Southern California Edison Company requesting modification of its Transition Revenue Account (TRA) and Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA) mechanisms to allow for the transfer and recovery of costs and return of revenues recorded in various previously-authorized regulatory accounts during the rate freeze period, and related relief, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) October 2)
9/7/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the investigation into the operations and practices of Qwest Communications Corporations, et al., concerning compliance with statutes, Commission decisions, and other requirements applicable to the utility's installation of facilities in California for providing telecommunication service,
ALJ McKenzie	I.00-03-001	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
Comr Lynch		
9/8/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Rita Boppana vs. Southern California Gas Company,
ALJ Brown	C.00-05-010	
Comr Lynch		(PHC) - Albert Jibilian vs. Southern California Gas Company, (PHC) - Christine Storey vs. Southern California Gas Company, Westchester Municipal Building Community Room 716 W. Manchester Avenue Westchester, CA
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to value its hydroelectric generation assets and for authority to retain its hydroelectric generation assets in a regulated utility corporation,
ALJ McKenzie	A.99-12-024	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 12 - 15)
Comr Wood		
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - WTA-Campbell Technology Park, LLC vs. San Jose Water Company,
ALJ Prestidge	C.00-03-004	

Comr Duque		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of AmericanStar Tours for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Monterey, Santa Clara, and San Francisco and the Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Jose International Airports and to establish a zone of rate freedom, City Hall Council Chambers 760 Mattie Road Pismo Beach, CA
ALJ Ryerson	A.00-05-005	
Comr Bilas		
9/12/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - AT&T Communications of California, Inc., vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company,
ALJ DeUlloa	C.99-12-029	
Comr Lynch	C.00-02-027	(PHC) - Pacific Bell Telephone Company vs. AT&T Communications of California, Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) September 18 - 22)
9/12/00	7:00 p.m.	(PPH) - Application of SJW Corp., a California corporation, San Jose Water Company (U-168-W), a California corporation, SJW Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation, and California-American Water Company (U-210-W), a California corporation, for each of the following orders: 1. Authorizing SJW Acquisition Corp. to merge with and into SJW Corp., with SJW Corp. as the surviving corporation; 2. Authorizing SJW Corp. thereafter to merge San Jose Water Company with and into California-American Water Company, with California-American Water Company as the surviving corporation thereafter to carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of San Jose Water Company; 3. Authorizing San Jose Water Company to withdraw from the water utility business; and 4. For related relief, Double Tree Hotel 2050 Gateway Place San Jose, CA
ALJ McVicar	A.00-05-016	
Comr Wood		

9/13/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - Joint application of buhl Water System (U 239 W), Eptco Water System (U 238 W), Nish Water System (U 271 W), Tulco Water Company (U 272 W), and Nish, Inc., a California corporation, and California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a California corporation, for an order authorizing (1) the sale and transfer to California Water Service Company of the Buhl, Eptco, Nish, and Tulco Water Systems, (2) the discontinuance of service of Buhl, Eptco, Nish, and Tulco Water Systems in the territories now served by them, and the commencement of service in said territories by California Water Service Company at the rates then effective in the Buhl, Eptco, Nish, and Tulco Water System,
ALJ Vieth	A.00-03-052	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 14)
Comr Duque		
9/14/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Application of Pacific Fiber Link, L.L.C. (U-6028-C) for modification of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to review proponent's environmental assessment for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"),
ALJ Walker	A.99-08-021	Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
Comr Duque		
9/15/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Tel West Companies, LLC (U-6114-C),
ALJ Kenney	C.00-04-038	
Comr Wood	C.00-04-039	(PHC) - Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Choctaw Communications, Inc., dba Smoke Signals Communications (U-6008-C),
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/18/00	7:00 p.m.	(PPH) - Application of Citizens Utilities Company of California (U-87-W), a California corporation, and California-American Water Company, a California corporation, for each of the following orders:
ALJ McVicar	A.00-05-015	
Comr Wood		
		1 Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to sell and to transfer all of its water utility assets and indebtedness to California-American Water Company;
		2. Authorizing California-American Water Company to acquire all of the water utility assets and indebtedness of Citizens Utilities Company of California and

- thereafter to engage in and carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of Citizens Utilities Company of California;
3. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to withdraw from the water utility business; and
 4. For related relief,

**Felton Community Hall
6191 Highway 9
Felton, CA**

9/19/00 Farallone View Elementary School
7:00 p.m. Third Street & Le Conte Avenue
 Montara, CA

9/20/00 Luther Burbank Center
7:00 p.m. 50 Mark West Springs Road
 Santa Rosa, CA

9/21/00 Crosswoods Community Center
7:00 p.m. 6742 Auburn Boulevard
 Citrus Heights, CA

9/18/00 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - In the matter of the application of Sierra Pacific
ALJ Galvin A.00-05-018 Power Company, for authority to establish authorized rate
Comr Wood of return on common equity for electric distribution for
 year 2001,
 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
 September 19 - 21 and continued as needed)

9/19/00 1:30 p.m. **(PHC)** - Boston Properties, Inc. vs. Pacific Gas and
ALJ Ryerson C.00-05-039 Electric Company,
Comr Bilas **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

9/20/00 9:00 a.m. **(EH)** - Carol Fisch vs. Garrapata Water Co., Inc.,
ALJ Vieth C.00-03-017 **City Hall Council Chambers**
Comr Duque **Corner of Pacific and Madison Streets**
 Monterey, CA

9/20/00 10:00 a.m. **(PHC)** - Application of Sierra Pacific Power Company for
ALJ Thomas A.00-07-001 approval of a proposed distribution performance-based
Comr Bilas ratemaking mechanism supported by a cost of service
 study,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/25/00 ALJ Barnett Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-04-002	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to revise its gas rates and tariffs to be effective January 1, 2001, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26 - 30; October 2 - 6)
9/25/00 ALJ Vieth Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. C.00-04-012	(EH) - Catellus Development Corporation, a Delaware corporation, and SF Pacific Properties, Inc., a Delaware corporation vs. Williams Communications, Inc., dba VYVX, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26)
9/25/00 ALJ Galvin Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-05-013	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for (i) authority to establish its authorized rates of return on common equity for electric distribution and gas distribution for year 2001, and (ii) adoption of an annual cost of capital adjustment mechanism, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26 - 29 and continued as needed)
10/3/00 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-12-020	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority, among other things, to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective January 1, 1999,
	I.97-11-026	(EH) - Investigation into the reasonableness of expenses related to the out-of-service status of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's El Dorado Hydroelectric Project and the need to reduce electric rates related to this non-functioning electric generating facility,
	A.94-12-005	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority among other things, to decrease its rates and charges for electric and gas service, and increase rates and charges for pipeline expansion service (electric and gas),
	I.95-02-015	(EH) - Order instituting investigation into rates, charges, and practices of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 4)
10/3/00 ALJ O'Donnell	1:30 p.m. A.00-04-023	(PPH) - In the matter of the application of the California-American Water Company (U 210 W) for an order

Comr Duque authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Los Angeles Division to increase revenues by \$1,938,500 in the year 2001; \$782,100 in the year 2002; and \$642,800 in the year 2003,
(San Marino & Duarte Service Area)
San Marino City Hall Council Chambers
2200 Huntington Drive
San Marino, CA

October 3, 2000 (Baldwin Hills Service Area)
7:00 p.m. **Inglewood Public Library**
101 W. Manchester Blvd.
Inglewood, CA

also (EH) October 10 - 13. Hearings will begin at 10:00 a.m. on October 10 and at 9:30 a.m. for the following hearing days.

10/10/00 10:00 a.m. (EH) - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric
ALJ Patrick A.00-03-062 Company for review of its Market Indexed Capital
Comr Duque Adjustment Mechanism (MICAM),
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

10/23/00 10:00 a.m. (EH) - Arco Products Company, Mobil Oil Corporation,
ALJ Brown C.97-04-025 Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc., and Equilon
Comr Wood Enterprises, LLC vs. Santa Fe Pacific Pipeline, L.P.,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 24 - 27)

11/6/00 10:00 a.m. (EH) In the matter of the application of Southern
ALJ McVicar A.00-03-029 California Water Company (U-133-W) for a Certificate of
Comr Duque Public Convenience and Necessity pursuant to California
Public Utilities Code Section 1001 to add to its Santa
Maria customer service area the Community of Cypress
Ridge,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 7)

11/13/00 10:00 a.m. (EH) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company
ALJ Gottstein A.99-03-014 to revise its electrical marginal costs, revenue allocation,
Comr Bilas and rates at the end of the rate freeze,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 14 - 17; November 28 - December 1;

December 4 - 8)

Evidentiary Hearing will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Mondays, and from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday through Friday

11/27/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - Application of Pacific Fiber Link, L.L.C.
ALJ Walker	A.99-08-021	(U-6028-C) for modification of its Certificate of Public
Comr Duque		Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to review
		proponents's environmental assessment for compliance
		with the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"),
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
		November 28 - 30)
1/9/01	10:00 a.m.	(EH) – Paula Karrison, an individual vs. A & P Moving,
ALJ Bennett	C.95-03-057	Inc.,
Comr Duque		Commission Offices
		707 "L" Street, Suite 1050
		Sacramento, CA
		(also January 10 – 11)
2/1/01	10:00 a.m.	(EH) – Arco Products Company, a division of Atlantic
ALJ Brown	C.00-04-013	Richfield Company ("ARCO") and Mobil Oil Corporation
Comr Wood		("MOBIL") vs. SFPP, L.P.,
	A.00-03-044	(EH) – In the matter of the application of SFPP, L.P. for
		authority to justify its rates for intrastate transportation of
		refined petroleum products on the basis of market factors,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
		February 2 – 12 at 9:00 a.m.)

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

NONE FILED

NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c))

NONE

NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

8/15/00	A00-05-015	<p>In the matter of the application of Citizens Utilities Company of California, and California-American Water Company, for each of the following orders:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company to sell and transfer all of its water utility assets and indebtedness to California-American Water Company;2. Authorizing California-American Water Company to acquire all of the water utility assets and indebtedness of Citizens Utilities Company of California and thereafter to engage in and carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of Citizens Utilities Company of California;3. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to withdraw from the water utility business; and4. For related relief.
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Summary: THIS IS AN AUGMENTED NOTICE OF AN EX PARTE COMMUNICATION THAT WAS FILED ON 7/28/2000 AND APPEARED IN THE CALENDAR OF 08/07/2000. On August 11, 2000, Lenard Weiss, outside regulatory Counsel for California-American Water Company (Cal-Am), met with Kerry Hattevik, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, in San Francisco. Also present were: Geoffrey Dryvynsyde, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch; Paul Foran, Vice President of Regulatory Programs, and Daniel Kelleher, Senior Vice President, for American Water Works Co., Inc., parent of Cal-Am; and Paul Townsley, Vice President of Water Resources, for Citizens Utilities Company (CUC). The representatives of Cal-Am and CUC discussed whether in the future a positive ratepayer benefit standard would be applied by the Commission. The representatives of Cal-Am and CUC discussed their position that the Commission should apply the merger and acquisition schedule adopted by the Commission in D99-10-064 to merger applications such as A00-05-

015.

Filer: California American Water Company

Contact: Anne Marie Murphy

Phone: (415) 788-0900

8/15/00	R93-04-003	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R93-04-002	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carriers.
	R95-04-043	Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service
	R95-04-044	Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service.

Summary: LATE FILED. On July 21, 2000, Anni Chung, Executive Director of Self-Help for the Elderly, sent a letter (attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Lynch. The letter concerned Pacific Bell's Section 271 application.

Filer: Pacific Bell

Contact: Lila Tam

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